

I am against bear hunting in Conn. because it will make our state more dangerous. So far no bear has seriously harmed any one but people shoot people, vicious dogs have even killed people, so have small rabid mammals, snakes and sharks have attacked people in Ct. What about a wounded bear shot by a hunter? maybe that bear would then become dangerous. Also a trigger happy and possible even drunk hunter might shoot a person because bears stand on two legs. It has happened, guns and liquor dont mix.

In Litchfield county bears are sacred to us and they help define who we are here. Just like the bald eagle is to U.S.! We love our black bears here and dont want our children to be tramitized by seeing hunters dragging a bloodied dead bear or possibly a cub across the road. We dont want this type of needless carnage. Also I distrust this legislative sub committee. Im shocked the sponsor of this bear bill , Craig Minor, a Litchfield Republican is on this committee or even lives in Litchfield county. Here we love nature, wildlife, farming, environment and clean air and water. However Minor was awarded The Dirty Dozen award in 2016 for being against wildlife, and even child safety by the League of Conservation Voters. Look this up on the computer. He seems to have the opposite values that our county residents have. What is he doing here? He should be in West Va defending dirty coal companies or Oklahoma defending fracking companies that cause that states earthquakes. How many other members of this committee share Minors views that seem to hate the environment. wild life like bears ,humming birds and bees are on this state environmental committee! William Bures
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